Road to Airoor Village Office.

326. *MR. K. MAHOMED (*Alwaye*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether there was any representation for the opening of a road from the 5th milestone of the Alwaye—Parur road to the Airoor Village Office;

(*b*) whether the District Road Board recommended to Government to open a road to Airoor Village Office; and

(*c*) if so, what action has been taken by the Government?

MR. G. B E. TRUSCOTT (*Chief Engineer*). (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The Road Board considered the subject, but did not recommend it.

(*c*) This does not arise.

Abolition of Sub-Registry Offices.

327. *MR. K. MAHOMED (*Alwaye*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether they have decided to abolish two more Sub-Registry Offices in the State besides those that have already been abolished;

(*b*) if it is a fact, what the grounds for such a procedure are:

(*c*) whether the Government think to effect considerable financial savings by the abolition of these Sub-Registry Offices; and

(*d*) if so, the amount that can be saved?

RAO SAHIB DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*):

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) It is found that these temporary offices are robbing the neighbouring permanent offices of their legitimate work.

(*c*) and (*d*) About Rs. 4,300.

Primary School for Muslim girls at Veliyathunad.

328. *MR. K. MAHOMED (*Alwaye*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether there is any representation from the people of Veliyathunad and Aduvathuruthi *Karas* in the Airoor *pakuthi* for the opening of a Primary School for Muslim girls at Veliyathunad;

(*b*) whether the Chief Inspectress of Girls' Schools and the Mahommedan Inspector visited the place in question and submitted their reports;

(*c*) if so, to what effect;

(*d*) the decision of the Government in the matter; and

(*e*) the number of Muslim girls and boys of school-going age in the said places?

MR. R. M. STATHAM (*Director of Public Instruction*): (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes.

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